



Performing Arts

City of Boston ~ Thomas M. Menino, Mayor ~ Boston Parks & Recreation Department

All events listed are free of charge.

Boston celebrates the 17th anniversary of ParkARTS, sponsored by **Bank of America**.

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Marionette Puppet Show Series

June 9 Sunday	2:00pm	Jamaica Pond at Boathouse, Jamaica Pond
July 10 Wednesday	11:00am	Hynes Playground, West Roxbury
July 16 Tuesday	11:00am	McConnell Park, Dorchester
July 18 Thursday	11:00am	McKinney Playground, Brighton
July 26 Friday	11:00am	Buckley Playground, South Boston
August 2 Friday	11:00am	East Boston Memorial Stadium Park, East Boston
August 15 Thursday	11:00am	Peters Park, South End
August 20 Tuesday	12:00pm	Franklin Park, Dorchester

Children and parents will enjoy the entertaining whimsical puppet shows that will “delight the child in everyone.” Experience the unique charm of Rosalita’s Puppets - marionettes made by professional actor-puppeteer Charlotte Anne Dore.

ParkARTS Citywide Neighborhood Concerts

July 9 Tuesday 7pm	Eliot Norton Park, Bay Village	Chris Mathison and Nick Leydon	Sponsored in part by the Friends of Eliot Norton Park
July 18 Thursday 7pm	Garvey Park, Dorchester	Bearfight	Sponsored in part by the Popes Hill Civic Association
July 22 Monday 7pm	Carter Playground, Roxbury	TBD	Sponsored in part by Northeastern University
July 23 Tuesday 7pm	Rogers Park, Brighton	Good Will & Them Apples Band	Sponsored in part by Brighton Main Streets
Aug. 4 Sunday 5pm	Marcella Park, Roxbury	Jazz at the Fort featuring Diane Richardson and Friends	Sponsored in part by Berklee College of Music. Family Activities presented by Boston Children’s Museum Pop Up Museum.

Tito Puente Latin Music Series

Thursdays 7pm

July 11	Mozart Park, Jamaica Plain	Jeremy De Jesus
July 18	O'Day Playground, South End	Maria Mulata
July 25	O'Day Playground, South End	Leo Blanco
Aug. 1	O'Day Playground, South End	Jimmy Bosch
Aug. 8	Mission Hill Playground, Jamaica Plain	Jesus Pagan
Aug. 15	East Boston Greenway/Caboose	Latin Heartbeat Orchestra with family activities presented by Boston Children's Museum's Pop Up Museum

Sponsored in part by Berklee College of Music and IBA: Inquilinos Boricuas en Accion.

Roslindale Thursday Evening Series At Adams Park

Thursdays

July 11	6pm	The Marshalls
July 18	6pm	Carla Ryder Band
July 25	6pm	Zili Misik
Aug. 1	6pm	Jack Colombo + Friends
Aug. 8	6pm	La Sandinista
Aug. 15	8pm	Outdoor Movie featuring Madagascar 3

Begin your weekend early with friends and families while enjoying this neighborhood series featuring local entertainment and outdoor movie.

Boston Landmarks Orchestra

July 14 Sunday 6pm Jamaica Pond – Pinebank, Jamaica Plain

A family-friendly concert featuring BLO brass musicians, a performance by students from the Conservatory Lab Charter School brass ensemble and the ever-popular "Instrument Playground" where children have a hands-on experience with a variety of musical instruments, under the guidance of professional musicians and music students. An evening of music and fun for all ages! Co-presented by Emerald Necklace Conservancy and Boston Parks and Recreation Department with family activities presented by the Boston Children's Museum's Pop Up Museum.

Swingin' in the Fens

July 17 Wednesday 6pm Ramler Park, Fenway Jelani Bauman Quartet

Supported by Berklee College of Music, Friends of Ramler Park and Fenway Civic Association (Rain Date: July 24). For more information, call (617) 747-8786.

Metropolitan Wind Symphony

July 21 Sunday 6pm Jamaica Pond – Pinebank, Jamaica Plain Metropolitan Wind Symphony classical music

Under the direction of Lewis J. Buckley, this 66-piece orchestra will present a traditional band concert featuring both classical and popular music. Co-presented by Emerald Necklace Conservancy and Boston Parks and Recreation Department.

Mayor Menino's Wednesday Night Concerts

At City Hall Plaza

7pm

July 24	The Stylistics
July 31	Disco Night featuring Stardust
August 7	Strictly Sinatra featuring Michael Dutra
August 21	Charlie Thomas & the Drifters
August 28	Roberta Flack

Now celebrating 41 years as Boston's longest-running outdoor concert series, these performances feature exciting, non-stop entertainment for music lovers of all ages. Presented by Mayor Thomas M. Menino in partnership with ParkARTS title sponsor Bank of America with support from New England Coffee with night sponsors Michael Francis Cahill Fund/City of Boston.

Mayor Menino's Movie Nights

Boston's Children's Museum Pop Up Museum will host family activities beginning at 7pm.

Movies begin at dusk (approx. 8 pm)

July 29 Monday	Hunt/Almont Park, Mattapan	The Express
August 5 Monday	Medal of Honor Park, South Boston	Miracle *
August 12 Monday	Blackstone Square, South End	Paranorman
Aug. 15 Thursday	Adams Park, Roslindale	Madagascar 3
August 19 Monday	Billings Field, West Roxbury	We are Marshall
August 26 Monday	Iacono Park, Hyde Park	E.T. The Extra Terrestrial

Popcorn provided by AMC Loews Movie Theatre. * Popcorn provided by Skinny Pop Popcorn.



The Boston Parks and Recreation Department is partnering with the National Recreation and Park Association and the National Wildlife Federation in "10 Million Kids Outdoors," an initiative to get 10 million children outside in the next 3 years to connect with nature and reap the benefits of being active.

